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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) the grant of a ONE (1) month extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 13, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application, thus extending the time for response from January 13, 2002 to February 13, 2002.

The fee for extension is calculated to be:

- ☒ \$110.00 (for a one-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1))
- ☐ \$400.00 (for a two-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(2))
- ☐ \$920.00 (for a three-month extension under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(3))

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 15, 2002

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